# **EXHIBIT D**

# Estate of Daniel Victor Armenta



August 22, 2017

DORIS ARMENTA 236 TAYLOR BOULEVARD MILLBRAE CA 94030

#### Dear DORIS ARMENTA:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") previously sent you an Eligibility determination letter on January 12, 2016 for the claim you submitted on behalf of DANIEL ARMENTA. Your claim number is VCF0079384.

The letter included the reason(s) your claim was deemed ineligible for compensation. You then amended your claim and provided additional information not previously submitted to the VCF.

The VCF has considered your amended claim and reviewed the new information you provided and has determined that you meet the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, you have been found eligible for the following injuries:

MALIGNANT NEOPLASM - BLADDER

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, an injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent has been certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a



request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MICHAEL BARASCH

# Estate of Ralph James Bova



September 7, 2017

BARBARA BOVA 4 KENT STREET ROCK HILL NY 12775

#### Dear BARBARA BOVA:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of RALPH BOVA. Your claim number is VCF0077010. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on September 04, 2017. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

MALIGNANT NEOPLASM - PROSTATE

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If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

#### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF



to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MICHAEL BARASCH

# Estate of Rebecca A. Buck



May 2, 2018

RUTH BUCK 27 LOCUST AVENUE RED BANK NJ 07701

#### Dear RUTH BUCK:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of REBECCA BUCK. Your claim number is VCF0108864. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on May 01, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF BREAST UNSPECIFIED SITE

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### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim.



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If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MICHAEL BARASCH

# Estate of Joseph Patrick Cassella



January 10, 2018

JAMES CASSELLA C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

#### Dear JAMES CASSELLA:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of JOSEPH CASSELLA. Your claim number is VCF0094388. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on January 09, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

#### The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- IDIOPATHIC PULMONARY FIBROSIS
- OTHER MALIG LYMPHOMAS LYMPH NODES HEAD FACE&NECK

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

#### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any



compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: JAMES CASSELLA

# Estate of Ronald Thomas Coyne



January 3, 2018

JUDITH COYNE C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

#### Dear JUDITH COYNE:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of RONALD COYNE. Your claim number is VCF0083674. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on January 02, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

#### The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED, UNSPECIFIED STATUS
- OTHER CHRONIC BRONCHITIS
- UNSPECIFIED CHRONIC BRONCHITIS

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If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

## **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.



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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: JUDITH COYNE

# Estate of Nicholas D'Errico



June 28, 2017

JUNE D'ERRICO 479 WESTON MANOR DRIVE THE VILLAGES FL 32162

#### Dear JUNE D'ERRICO:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of NICHOLAS D'ERRICO. Your claim number is VCF0080467. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on June 27, 2017. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF BLADDER PART UNSPECIFIED

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MICHAEL BARASCH

# Estate of John Charles Dillon



June 23, 2016

PATRICIA DILLON C/O GARY LIMONCELLI GREY & GREY, LLP 360 MAIN STREET FARMINGDALE NY 11735

#### Dear PATRICIA DILLON:

Your Eligibility Form for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has been reviewed. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of JOHN DILLON. Your claim number is VCF0015269. The Claims Evaluator determined that your Eligibility Form was substantially complete on June 23, 2016. As stated in the Regulations and on the Eligibility Form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, the right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors has been waived.

# The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent meets the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations and that you meet the requirements as the Personal Representative of the decedent. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

BLADDER CANCER AND RELATED PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: HEMATURIA

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If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

#### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. If you need to amend your claim to add a new condition, upload a letter to your claim with the request and submit the required documents. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.



If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

# If you do not have injuries other than those listed above, and:

- You have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information.
- You have not yet submitted your Compensation Form, you must wait until the Special Master publishes the updated regulations to reflect the new statute reauthorizing the VCF, which was enacted on December 18, 2015, before taking any additional action on your claim. Under the legislation new claims cannot be filed until the final regulations have been published.

In either case, your claim will be reviewed and processed under "Group B" as required by the new law. Please see the www.vcf.gov website for important information about the reauthorization and the expected timeline of activities for Group B claims. Finally, it is important to keep in mind that funding is not available to pay Group B claims until all of the Group A payments have been made or October 2016, whichever is earlier.

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Sincerely,

Sheila L. Birnbaum Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Aleksandr Drobchinskiy



April 26, 2016

KLAVDIYA DROBCHINSKIY C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

#### Dear KLAVDIYA DROBCHINSKIY:

Your Eligibility Form for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has been reviewed. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of ALEKSANDR DROBCHINSKIY. Your claim number is VCF0074115. The Claims Evaluator determined that your Eligibility Form was substantially complete on April 26, 2016. As stated in the Regulations and on the Eligibility Form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, the right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors has been waived.

#### The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent meets the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations and that you meet the requirements as the Personal Representative of the decedent. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- MELANOMA LEFT CHEEK
- MELANOMA LEFT CHEST

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If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

# **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. If you need to amend your claim to add a new condition, upload a letter to your claim with the request and submit the required documents. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.



If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

## If you do not have injuries other than those listed above, and:

- You have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information.
- You have not yet submitted your Compensation Form, you must wait until the
  Special Master publishes the updated regulations to reflect the new statute
  reauthorizing the VCF, which was enacted on December 18, 2015, before taking any
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In either case, your claim will be reviewed and processed under "Group B" as required by the new law. Please see the www.vcf.gov website for important information about the reauthorization and the expected timeline of activities for Group B claims. Finally, it is important to keep in mind that funding is not available to pay Group B claims until all of the Group A payments have been made or October 2016, whichever is earlier.

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Sincerely,

Sheila L. Birnbaum Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of George David Eysser



August 9, 2018

ELAINE EYSSER 2 RENEE ROAD SYOSSET NY 11791

#### Dear ELAINE EYSSER:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of GEORGE EYSSER. Your claim number is VCF0094265. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on August 08, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- MALIGNANT NEOPLASM BRONCHUS&LUNG UNSPEC SITE
- SIMPLE CHRONIC BRONCHITIS AND RELATED PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: OTHER DISEASES OF LUNG NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED
- UNSPECIFIED SINUSITIS

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# **What Happens Next**

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MICHAEL BARASCH

# Estate of Wayne Kenneth Haberland



March 10, 2015

TERESE HABERLAND C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

#### Dear TERESE HABERLAND:

Your Eligibility Form for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has been reviewed. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of WAYNE HABERLAND. Your claim number is VCF0042817. The Claims Evaluator determined that your Eligibility Form was substantially complete on March 10, 2015. As stated in the Regulations and on the Eligibility Form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, the right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors has been waived. For more information about this topic, please review Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") #7.1 - #7.4 on the www.vcf.gov website.

# The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent meets the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations and that you meet the requirements as the Personal Representative of the decedent. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- ASTHMA
- CHRONIC BRONCHITIS AND RELATED PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: **ASPERGILLOSIS**
- CHRONIC BRONCHITIS AND RELATED PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: RESPIRATORY FAILURE: RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS: CHRONIC PERICARITIS
- CHRONIC COUGH SYNDROME
- CHRONIC RHINOSINUSITIS
- **GERD**

- INTERSTITIAL LUNG DISEASE
- LYMPHOCYTIC LEUKEMIA AND RELATED PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: CHRONIC **PERICARITIS**

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Statute (the Air Transportation Safety and System Stabilization Act as amended by the Zadroga Act) and the Regulations are located at http://www.vcf.gov/genProgramInfo.html.



Additionally, the injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

# **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will contact the WTC Health Program to confirm the condition is eligible.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

Please remember all information and materials must be submitted to the VCF by October 3, 2016.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please call our toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-514-1100. Every effort will be made to respond to your inquiries as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Sheila L. Birnbaum Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of John J. Hough



February 8, 2016

GAIL AMRHEIN C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

#### Dear GAIL AMRHEIN:

Your Eligibility Form for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has been reviewed. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of JOHN HOUGH. Your claim number is VCF0073531. The Claims Evaluator determined that your Eligibility Form was substantially complete on February 8, 2016. As stated in the Regulations and on the Eligibility Form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, the right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors has been waived. For more information about this topic, please review Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") #7.1 - #7.4 on the www.vcf.gov website.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent meets the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations and that you meet the requirements as the Personal Representative of the decedent. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

#### ESOPHAGEAL CANCER

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, the injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

#### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will contact the WTC Health Program to confirm the condition is eligible.



If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless contacted again by the VCF.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please call our toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-514-1100. Every effort will be made to respond to your inquiries as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Sheila L. Birnbaum Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Arthur Bartolomeo Iannace



March 30, 2018

SUSAN IANNACE 182 HARRINGTON DRIVE NORTH TOMS RIVER NJ 08757

#### Dear SUSAN IANNACE:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of ARTHUR IANNACE. Your claim number is VCF0093662. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on March 29, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- CHRONIC RHINITIS
- ESOPHAGEAL REFLUX
- MALIGNANT NEOPLASM BRONCHUS&LUNG UNSPEC SITE

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

# **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need



to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Phoebe Catherine Kahanov



December 11, 2014

LEARAN KAHANOV C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

#### Dear Learan Kahanov:

Your Eligibility Form for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has been reviewed. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of PHOEBE KAHANOV. Your claim number is VCF0015247. The Claims Evaluator determined that your Eligibility Form was substantially complete on December 11, 2014. As stated in the Regulations and on the Eligibility Form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, the right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors has been waived. For more information about this topic, please review Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") #7.1 - #7.4 on the www.vcf.gov website.

# The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent meets the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations and that you meet the requirements as the Personal Representative of the decedent. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

#### METASTATIC BREAST CANCER

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, the injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

#### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will contact the WTC Health Program to confirm the condition is eligible.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Statute (the Air Transportation Safety and System Stabilization Act as amended by the Zadroga Act) and the Regulations are located at http://www.vcf.gov/genProgramInfo.html.



If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

Please remember all information and materials must be submitted to the VCF by October 3, 2016.

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Sincerely,

Sheila L. Birnbaum Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of John Paul LaPointe



April 2, 2018

STAN LAPOINTE 682 CHINA ROAD WINSLOW ME 04901

#### Dear STAN LAPOINTE:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of JOHN LAPOINTE. Your claim number is VCF0092624. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on March 30, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors. Injuries that were found eligible by the first iteration of the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund that operated from 2001 to 2004 ("VCF1")

#### The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED, UNSPECIFIED STATUS
- CHRONIC AIRWAY OBSTRUCTION NEC
- ESOPHAGEAL REFLUX
- LIVER CELL CARCINOMA
- REFLUX ESOPHAGITIS
- SIMPLE CHRONIC BRONCHITIS

Although the decedent's VCF1 injuries are again eligible under the current VCF, it does not necessarily mean that you are entitled to receive additional compensation. Because you were previously compensated by VCF1 for some or all of these injuries, you must show that the condition has worsened, that you have been certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a new condition, or that you have a new loss associated with a previously eligible condition. For example, if the decedent had been determined to be disabled from these conditions since receiving the VCF1 award and that award did not include future lost earnings, you may be eligible for that loss now.

Note that the amount of compensation received in VCF1 will be considered when determining whether additional compensation should be awarded. As a general rule, the compensation received in VCF2 will be calculated based on the amount of compensation any similarly situated person who filed a claim only in VCF2 would receive; any compensation received in VCF1 will



then be applied as an adjustment to the award. For more information regarding the ability to participate in the VCF after submitting a claim in VCF1, please see the www.vcf.gov website.

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

## **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If the decedent does not have injuries other than those listed above you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Steven Mazur



July 16, 2018

MARY MAZUR 380 LENOX AVENUE, APT 8A NEW YORK NY 10027

#### Dear MARY MAZUR:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of STEVEN MAZUR. Your claim number is VCF0104332. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on July 13, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

• MALIGNANT NEOPLASM - KIDNEY WITH METASTASIS

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim.



All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

Estate of Robert Kenner McCain, Jr.



June 11, 2019

PASHA MCCAIN 553 TROTTERS LANE MCDONOUGH GA 30252

#### Dear PASHA MCCAIN:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of ROBERT MCCAIN JR. Your claim number is VCF0123886. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on June 10, 2019. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED, UNSPECIFIED STATUS
- MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF PANCREAS UNSPECIFIED

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

#### What Happens Next

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF



to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please call our toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-514-1100.

Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Paul J. Oslovich



February 22, 2019

THERESA OSLOVICH 10 PENNY LANE BAYVILLE NJ 08721

Dear THERESA OSLOVICH:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") previously sent you an Eligibility determination letter on July 02, 2018 for the claim you submitted on behalf of PAUL OSLOVICH. Your claim number is VCF0097575. The letter included a list of condition(s) deemed eligible for compensation. You then amended your claim to add one or more new conditions.

The VCF has considered your amended claim and reviewed the new information you provided. This letter sets forth the revised eligibility determination and supersedes and replaces the previous letter.

# The Decision on your Claim

Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the injuries listed below. *This list includes all injuries for which the decedent has been found eligible.* 

MALIGNANT NEOPLASM - PROSTATE

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

# What Happens Next

You submitted the Compensation portion of your claim form. The VCF will contact you if additional information is needed in order to calculate your award. If you believe the new condition(s) changes your compensation claim, you should amend your claim. For example, if your new condition is the reason the decedent was not able to work, you should provide that information to the VCF by amending your claim. Please see the www.vcf.gov website for additional details on how to amend your claim.



If the newly eligible condition(s) does not change your compensation claim, you do not need to take any action at this time.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please call our toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-514-1100.

Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Larry Ordell Rappe



March 19, 2019

PAULA RAPPE 13715 B CANAL DRIVE PENSACOLA FL 32507

#### Dear PAULA RAPPE:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of LARRY RAPPE. Your claim number is VCF0110931. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on March 18, 2019. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

#### PULMONARY FIBROSIS UNSPECIFIED

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim.



All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please call our toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-514-1100.

Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Robert J. Reilly



June 17, 2014

PATRICIA REILLY C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

Dear Patricia Reilly:

Your Eligibility Form for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has been reviewed. You submitted an Eligibility Form for Deceased Individuals on behalf of Robert Reilly. Your claim number is VCF0014907. The Claims Evaluator determined that your Eligibility Form was substantially complete on June 17, 2014. As stated in the Regulations and on the Eligibility Form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, the right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors has been waived. For more information about this topic, please review Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") #7.1 thru 7.4 on the VCF website at http://www.vcf.gov/faq.html.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent meets the eligibility criteria established in the statute (the Zadroga Act and the original statute) and that you meet the requirements as the Personal Representative of the decedent. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the following injuries have been found eligible:

Lung Cancer

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. First, for non-traumatic injuries, the description of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there can be several alternative descriptions for the same injury. Additionally, a WTC Health Program physician may have provided testing or treatment for an injury even if the injury has not been certified for treatment. Finally, an injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment. The VCF regularly receives updated information from the WTC Health Program and will notify you if additional injuries are certified during the processing of your claim.

#### What Happens Next

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Statute (the Air Transportation Safety and System Stabilization Act as amended by the Zadroga Act) and the Regulations are located at http://www.vcf.gov/lawRulesOtherDocs.html.

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The VCF will determine the compensation amount based solely on the eligible injuries listed above. If you have not already done so, please submit the Compensation Form for Deceased Individuals and the required supporting documents as soon as possible. To reduce administrative costs and speed claims processing, you are encouraged to submit the Compensation Form through the VCF's web-based claim system at www.vcf.gov. If you wish to complete the Compensation Form in hard copy, you may download and print the form from the VCF website or call the toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555 to request a form be mailed to you. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-353-0356.

When submitting the Compensation Form, please be sure to complete and submit the proposed distribution plan, including the requested information about each individual you propose to receive a portion of the award. Please also complete and submit the VCF ACH Payment Information Form. This form can be found on our website under "Forms and Resources." The completed form must be submitted before the VCF can arrange for any payment.

The VCF will be able to determine the compensation amount based on the eligible conditions after all compensation related documents are submitted. When you receive your compensation decision letter, you will have the right to appeal. In that appeal, you have the right to assert additional injuries that you believe are eligible and should be compensated. For purposes of the statutory deadlines, the injuries listed in your claim form and the injuries certified as eligible will be deemed "filed". You will receive instructions on the appeal process when you receive the letter with details of the compensation decision.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please contact our toll-free Helpline at the number noted above. Every effort will be made to respond to your inquiries as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Albert Reingold



May 30, 2017

GERTIE REINGOLD 161 HUGUENOT AVENUE ENGLEWOOD NJ 07631

#### Dear GERTIE REINGOLD:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of ALBERT REINGOLD. Your claim number is VCF0081895. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on May 28, 2017. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

#### The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- ESOPHAGEAL REFLUX
- OTHER CHRONIC SINUSITIS

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

#### What Happens Next

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF



to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please call our toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-514-1100.

Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Mary Elizabeth Reynolds



April 11, 2017

SHANNON REYNOLDS 4193 HYLAN BOULEVARD STATEN ISLAND NY 10308

# Dear SHANNON REYNOLDS:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") previously sent you an Eligibility determination letter on October 08, 2015. Your claim number is VCF0079577.

The letter included the reason(s) your claim was deemed ineligible for compensation. You then amended your claim and provided additional information not previously submitted to the VCF.

The VCF has considered your amended claim and reviewed the new information you provided and has determined that you meet the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, you have been found eligible for the following injuries:

- DISSEMINATED MALIGNANT NEOPLASM
- ESOPHAGEAL REFLUX
- ESOPHAGITIS
- OTHER MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF UNSPECIFIED SITE

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, an injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

## **What Happens Next**

If you have been certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe you have eligible injuries that are not being treated by the WTC Health **Program** and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating your award,



you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, making an appointment with the WTC Health Program and seeking certification for your condition is the best way to get the necessary evidence that you have an eligible condition for purpose of obtaining compensation from the VCF.

If you do not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Kevin Rooney



October 22, 2018

VANEZA ROONEY 20 MIDWAY DRIVE MONROE NY 10950

#### Dear VANEZA ROONEY:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of KEVIN ROONEY. Your claim number is VCF0100149. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on October 19, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

# The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

MAL NEOPLASM OVERLAP SITE RECTUM ANUS ANAL CANAL

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

### What Happens Next

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF



to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: WENDELL TONG

# Estate of Robert Carlo Rossi



March 19, 2019

VALERIE ROSSI C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

#### Dear VALERIE ROSSI:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of ROBERT ROSSI. Your claim number is VCF0096523. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on March 18, 2019. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

#### The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF THE PROSTATE WITH METASTASES

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

## **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need



to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: VALERIE ROSSI

# Estate of Rita Saverino Romeo



July 19, 2018

JOSEPH ROMEO 27 N. MOORE STREET 8F NEW YORK NY 10013

#### Dear JOSEPH ROMEO:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of RITA SAVERINO. Your claim number is VCF0093613. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on July 18, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

METASTATIC SPINDLE CELL SARCOMA OF THE LIVER

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MICHAEL BARASCH

## Estate of James Anthony Schiavone



June 19, 2018

LISA SCHIAVONE C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

### Dear LISA SCHIAVONE:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of JAMES SCHIAVONE. Your claim number is VCF0113270. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on June 18, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

### The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

## MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF COLON UNSPECIFIED

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

## **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need



to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: LISA SCHIAVONE

## Estate of Donna M. Siciliano



February 9, 2015

GERARD SICILIANO C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

#### Dear Gerard Siciliano:

Your Eligibility Form for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has been reviewed. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of DONNA SICILIANO. Your claim number is VCF0071756. The Claims Evaluator determined that your Eligibility Form was substantially complete on February 9, 2015. As stated in the Regulations and on the Eligibility Form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, the right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors has been waived. For more information about this topic, please review Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") #7.1 - #7.4 on the www.vcf.gov website.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent meets the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations and that you meet the requirements as the Personal Representative of the decedent. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- CHRONIC RHINITIS
- MALIGNANT NEOPLASM LOWER LOBE BRONCHUS OR LUNG
- SEC MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF BRAIN AND SPINAL CORD
- UNSPEC RESPIRATORY CONDITIONS DUE FUMES&VAPORS

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, the injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

### What Happens Next

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Statute (the Air Transportation Safety and System Stabilization Act as amended by the Zadroga Act) and the Regulations are located at http://www.vcf.gov/genProgramInfo.html.



amend your claim. The VCF will contact the WTC Health Program to confirm the condition is eligible.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

Please remember all information and materials must be submitted to the VCF by October 3, 2016.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please call our toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-514-1100. Every effort will be made to respond to your inquiries as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Sheila L. Birnbaum Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: Gerard Siciliano

Estate of Stephen E. Skipton, Sr.



September 5, 2017

JENNIFER SKIPTON 409 WHISPERING BREEZE LANE SUMMERVILLE SC 29486

### Dear JENNIFER SKIPTON:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") previously sent you an Eligibility determination letter on December 22, 2015 for the claim you submitted on behalf of STEPHEN SKIPTON. Your claim number is VCF0075238.

The letter included the reason(s) your claim was deemed ineligible for compensation. You then amended your claim and provided additional information not previously submitted to the VCF.

The VCF has considered your amended claim and reviewed the new information you provided and has determined that you meet the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, you have been found eligible for the following injuries:

MALIGNANT NEOPLASM - KIDNEY WITH METASTASIS

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, an injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

## **What Happens Next**

If the decedent has been certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a



request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MICHAEL BARASCH

Estate of Michael Paul Smith, Jr.



April 6, 2018

FAITH SMITH 5822 DOGWOOD DRIVE HARRISON TN 37341

### Dear FAITH SMITH:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of MICHAEL SMITH. Your claim number is VCF0093401. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on April 05, 2018. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors. Injuries that were found eligible by the first iteration of the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund that operated from 2001 to 2004 ("VCF1")

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- ASTHMA, UNSPECIFIED, UNSPECIFIED STATUS
- CHRONIC RHINITIS
- ESOPHAGEAL REFLUX
- MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF CARDIA
- MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF PANCREAS PART UNSPECIFIED
- OTHER CHRONIC BRONCHITIS
- UNSPECIFIED SINUSITIS

Although the decedent's VCF1 injuries are again eligible under the current VCF, it does not necessarily mean that you are entitled to receive additional compensation. Because you were previously compensated by VCF1 for some or all of these injuries, you must show that the condition has worsened, that you have been certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a new condition, or that you have a new loss associated with a previously eligible condition. For example, if the decedent had been determined to be disabled from these conditions since receiving the VCF1 award and that award did not include future lost earnings, you may be eligible for that loss now.

Note that the amount of compensation received in VCF1 will be considered when determining whether additional compensation should be awarded. As a general rule, the compensation received in VCF2 will be calculated based on the amount of compensation any similarly situated



person who filed a claim only in VCF2 would receive; any compensation received in VCF1 will then be applied as an adjustment to the award. For more information regarding the ability to participate in the VCF after submitting a claim in VCF1, please see the www.vcf.gov website.

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

## **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If the decedent does not have injuries other than those listed above you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MICHAEL BARASCH

## Estate of Margaret Lydia Utzinger



August 28, 2018

MARGARET UTZINGER C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

### Dear MARGARET UTZINGER:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. Your claim number is VCF0099451. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on August 27, 2018. As stated in the regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that you meet the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, you have been found eligible for the following injuries:

- CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE UNS
- PULMONARY FIBROSIS UNSPECIFIED

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

## **What Happens Next**

If you have been certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe you have eligible injuries that are not being treated by the WTC Health **Program** and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating your award, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you must first seek



certification for the condition(s) from the WTC Health Program. Seeking certification for your condition provides the VCF with the necessary evidence that the condition is eligible for compensation. Please note, however, that because additional certifications do not necessarily impact the amount of your award, we recommend that you wait to receive your award letter to determine whether to seek certification for any additional condition(s).

If you do not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: MARGARET UTZINGER

## Estate of Sam Vashovsky



June 1, 2015

LANA VASHOVSKY C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

### Dear LANA VASHOVSKY:

Your Eligibility Form for the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has been reviewed. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of SAM VASHOVSKY. Your claim number is VCF0072475. The Claims Evaluator determined that your Eligibility Form was substantially complete on June 1, 2015. As stated in the Regulations and on the Eligibility Form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, the right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors has been waived. For more information about this topic, please review Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") #7.1 - #7.4 on the www.vcf.gov website.

## The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent meets the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations and that you meet the requirements as the Personal Representative of the decedent. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- CHRONIC RHINOSINUSITIS AND RELATED PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: COUGH
- GRANULOMATOUS DISEASE (ILD) AND RELATED PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: LUNG NODULES
- LARYNGOPHARYNGEAL REFLUX (GERD) AND RELATED PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: COUGH
- RECURRENT BRAIN CANCER

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, the injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or loss calculation.

## **What Happens Next**



If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will contact the WTC Health Program to confirm the condition is eligible.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

Please remember all information and materials must be submitted to the VCF by October 3, 2016.

If you have questions about the information in this letter or the claims process in general, please call our toll-free Helpline at 1-855-885-1555. For the hearing impaired, please call 1-855-885-1558 (TDD). If you are calling from outside the United States, please call 1-202-514-1100. Every effort will be made to respond to your inquiries as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Sheila L. Birnbaum Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

# Estate of Joseph M. Scoblic



January 17, 2019

BARBARA SCOBLIC C/O MICHAEL BARASCH BARASCH MCGARRY SALZMAN & PENSON 11 PARK PLACE 1801 NEW YORK NY 10007-2811

### Dear BARBARA SCOBLIC:

The September 11th Victim Compensation Fund ("VCF") has reviewed your Eligibility Form. You submitted an Eligibility Form on behalf of JOSEPH SCOBLIC. Your claim number is VCF0095644. Your Eligibility Form was determined to be substantially complete on January 16, 2019. As stated in the Regulations and on the claim form, by filing a substantially complete Eligibility Form, you have waived your right to file or be a party to a September 11th-related lawsuit on behalf of the decedent and his or her survivors.

### The Decision on your Claim

The VCF has determined that the decedent has met the eligibility criteria established in the statute and regulations. Based on the information you submitted and information the VCF has received from the World Trade Center ("WTC") Health Program, the decedent has been found eligible for the following injuries:

- LARGE B-CELL LYMPHOMA
- MALIGNANT NEOPLASM OF THE KIDNEY

Please note that there are several reasons why an injury that you think should be eligible is not listed above. For non-traumatic injuries, the name of the injury is based on the information provided by the WTC Health Program and there may be different names for the same injury. Additionally, your injury may not be listed if it was only recently certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program.

If in the future the WTC Health Program should notify you that a condition previously found eligible is no longer certified, you must inform the VCF as this may affect your eligibility status and/or the amount of your award.

### **What Happens Next**

If the decedent was certified for treatment by the WTC Health Program for a condition not listed above, you should amend your claim. Please see the VCF website for details on how to amend your claim. The VCF will review the new information and determine if it provides the basis for a revised decision.

If you believe the decedent had eligible injuries not treated by the WTC Health Program and you would like the VCF to consider those injuries before calculating the amount of any



compensation, you should amend your claim. If you choose to amend your claim, you will need to use the VCF Private Physician process. The Private Physician process is a way for the VCF to gather the required information about the decedent's treatment in order to process your claim. All forms are available on the VCF website under "Forms and Resources." The website also includes detailed information and instructions on the Private Physician process.

If the decedent did not have injuries other than those listed above, you should submit your Compensation Form and required supporting materials. If you have already submitted your Compensation Form, you do not need to take any action at this time unless you receive a request from the VCF for missing information. The VCF will calculate the amount of any compensation based on the conditions listed above after all compensation-related documents are submitted.

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Sincerely,

Rupa Bhattacharyya Special Master September 11th Victim Compensation Fund

cc: BARBARA SCOBLIC